

3543. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting notification of additional program proposals for purposes of Non-Proliferation and Disarmament Fund (NDF) activities, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 5852; jointly to the Committees on International Relations and Appropriations.

3544. A letter from the Director, Office of Management and Budget, transmitting the Office's report entitled "The Government Performance and Results Act," report to the President and the Congress from the Director of the Office of Management and Budget; jointly to the Committees on Government Reform and Oversight and the Budget.

3545. A letter from the Secretary of Energy, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation entitled the "Department of Energy National Security Programs Authorization Act for Fiscal Years 1998 and 1999"; jointly to the Committees on National Security, Commerce, and Resources.

3546. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative and Intergovernmental Affairs, Department of Commerce, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation entitled the "NOAA Corps Disestablishment Act"; jointly to the Committees on Resources, Government Reform and Oversight, and National Security.

3547. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation entitled the "Medicare and Medicaid Fraud, Abuse, and Waste Prevention Amendments of 1997"; jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means, Commerce, and the Judiciary.

3548. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Defense, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation that addresses several management concerns of the Department of Defense; jointly to the Committees on International Relations, Transportation and Infrastructure, Government Reform and Oversight, and the Judiciary.

3549. A letter from the Assistant Attorney General of the U.S., transmitting a draft of proposed legislation entitled the "Forfeiture Act of 1997"; jointly to the Committees on the Judiciary, Ways and Means, Commerce, Agriculture, Resources, and Banking and Financial Services.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

[Omitted from the Record of May 22, 1997]

Mr. COBLE: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 695. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to affirm the rights of U.S. persons to use and sell encryption and to relax export controls on encryption; with an amendment (Rept. 105-108 Pt. 1). Ordered to be printed.

TIME LIMITATION OF REFERRED BILL

Pursuant to clause 5 of rule X, the following action was taken by the Speaker:

[Omitted from the Record of May 22, 1997]

H.R. 695. Referral to the Committee on International Relations extended for a period ending not later than July 11, 1997.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 5 of rule X and clause 4 of rule XXII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred as follows:

[Submitted May 27, 1997]

By Mr. HULSHOF:

H.R. 1751. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide that gifts for which the statute of limitations has expired for gift tax purposes may not be revalued for purposes of determining the estate tax; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. HULSHOF (for himself, Mr. STENHOLM, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. SMITH of Oregon, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. HERGER, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. MINGE, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. CANADY of Florida, Mr. LAHOOD, and Mr. EWING):

H.R. 1752. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for the non-recognition of gain on sale of stock to certain farmers' cooperatives; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

[Submitted May 30, 1997]

By Mr. HYDE (for himself and Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin):

H.R. 1753. A bill to provide for the establishment of not less than 2,500 Boys and Girls Clubs of America facilities by the year 2000; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

MEMORIALS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, memorials were presented and referred as follows:

104. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Hawaii, relative to House Concurrent Resolution No. 231, urging the President of the United States to nominate and the United States Senate to confirm at least one qualified resident from the State of Hawaii to serve as an active judge on the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

105. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the State of Hawaii, relative to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 257, urging the President of the United States to nominate and the United States Senate to confirm at least one qualified resident from the State of Hawaii to serve as an active judge on the United States Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

106. Also, a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Colorado, relative to House Joint Resolution No. 97-1003, urging the Congress of the United States to consider the proposals in this resolution as the "Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act of 1991" [ISTEA] comes under scrutiny for reauthorization; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

107. Also, a memorial of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, relative to urging the Congress of the United States to pass the "STEP 21 Program"; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

108. Also, a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Colorado, relative to House Joint Resolution 97-1027, urging the Congress of the United States to amend or repeal those specific provisions of

the Federal "Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996" set forth in this resolution that place undue burden and expense upon the several States in the establishment, modification, and enforcement of child support obligations, or that unjustifiably intrude into the personal lives of the law-abiding citizens of the United States of to the Committee on Ways and Means.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows:

[Submitted May 27, 1997]

H.R. 690: Mr. LIPINSKI.
H.R. 805: Mr. DEAL of Georgia.
H.R. 1428: Mr. WICKER and Mr. GOODLATTE.
H.R. 1515: Mr. GIBBONS, Mr. SMITH of Oregon, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. WOLF, Mr. EVERETT, and Mr. WYNN.
H.R. 1539: Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. RYUN, Mr. WEYGAND, and Mr. BUYER.

[Submitted May 30, 1997]

H.R. 145: Mr. DEAL of Georgia and Mr. KLECZKA.
H.R. 165: Ms. WATERS, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. BAKER, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, and Mrs. MINK of Hawaii.
H.R. 493: Mr. WEXLER.
H.R. 650: Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma.
H.R. 662: Mr. FILNER and Mr. BLAGOJEVICH.
H.R. 663: Mr. HILLIARD, Ms. DEGETTE, Ms. KAPTUR, and Ms. LOFGREN.
H.R. 778: Mr. DELLUMS and Mr. LAFALCE.
H.R. 779: Mr. DELLUMS and Mr. LAFALCE.
H.R. 780: Mr. DELLUMS and Mr. LAFALCE.
H.R. 805: Mr. WELDON of Florida.
H.R. 1050: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.
H.R. 1073: Mr. OWENS, Ms. KILPATRICK, Ms. CHRISTIAN-GREEN, and Mr. THOMPSON.
H.R. 1111: Mr. THOMPSON, Mr. WYNN, and Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin.
H.R. 1126: Mr. DIXON.
H.R. 1178: Mr. LANTOS.
H.R. 1425: Mr. MARTINEZ and Mr. BONO.
H.R. 1531: Mr. TOWNS and Mr. MILLER of Florida.
H.R. 1537: Mr. FROST and Ms. CHRISTIAN-GREEN.
H.R. 1660: Mr. DREIER.
H.J. Res. 66: Mr. LOWEY, Mr. HORN, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. BISHOP, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. DEUTSCH, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Ms. WATERS, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. WATT of North Carolina, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. THOMPSON, Ms. SANCHEZ, and Ms. CARSON.
H. Res. 138: Ms. JACKSON-LEE and Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts.

PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 1 of rule XXII,

15. The SPEAKER presented a petition of the Detroit City Council, Detroit, MI, relative to supporting the "Jobs Creation and Infrastructure Restoration Act"; which was referred jointly to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure and Education and the Workforce.